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FILING DATE: January 30, 2004  
TITLE: Routing Communications to a Storage Area Network  
EXAMINER: Le, Dicu-Minh T.  
ART UNIT: 2114

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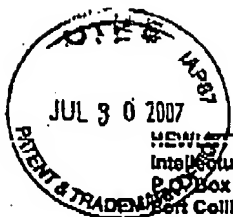
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Confirmation No.: 7916

Application No.: 10/796,371

Examiner: Dieu-Minh T. Le

Filing Date: January 30, 2004

Group Art Unit: 2114

Title: ROUTING COMMUNICATIONS TO A STORAGE AREA NETWORK

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner date, 5/22/2007, rejecting the following claims 1-20. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(B)) \$500.00.

(complete (a) or (b) as applicable)

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